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# NEWS RELEASE

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### **Officers Investigate Hit and Run Injury Crash**

The Beaverton Police Department and the interagency Washington County Crash Analysis Reconstruction Team (CART) are investigating an injury hit and run crash that sent one to the hospital with serious injuries.

On March 27, 2012, shortly before 2:00 a.m. officers responded to a report of a motorcycle and its rider down on SW Scholls Ferry Road near SW 121<sup>st</sup>. Upon arrival officers determined that the motor cycle and its rider had been struck by a vehicle that had fled the scene. The motorcycle rider was identified as Marc Besta (35) of Tigard. Besta was transported to Oregon Health Science University Hospital (OHSU) for serious but non-life threatening injuries. It appears that Besta was travelling westbound on Scholls Ferry Road when he was struck by a vehicle eastbound on SW Scholls Ferry Road turning onto Boones Bend Drive.

At approximately 4:00 a.m. the driver of the vehicle that struck Besta returned to the scene and contacted police. The driver was identified as Deandra Davis (19) of Corvallis. Davis told police that she was the driver that had hit the motorcycle.

Scholls Ferry Road was closed for approximately six hours while CART completed their investigation.

No arrests or citations were issued to Deandra Davis at this time. Officers are continuing their investigation and charges are pending completion of the investigation. It is unknown at this time if alcohol contributed to this injury crash.

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